TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

FISCAL NOTE



SB 1178 - HB 1708

March 26, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Directs the Commissioner of the Department of Health, in consultation with the Commissioner of Commerce and Insurance and the Director of the Bureau of TennCare, to develop a plan for ensuring that 90 percent of pregnant woman in this state will receive access to prenatal care and to report to the House Health and Human Resources Committee and the Senate General Welfare, Health and Human Resources Committee, on or before February 1, 2012.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures – \$11,100/One-Time

Assumptions:

- The Perinatal Advisory Committee will meet to discuss recommendations for timing and quality of prenatal care and establish a subcommittee/work group to assist with the development of the plan. Total cost for one Advisory Committee meeting and two meetings of the subcommittee/work group will be \$11,054, for lodging (\$3,480), meals (\$2,079), and travel (\$5,495).
- The cost of reporting to the General Assembly will be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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